

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of:

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Efficient Nucleic Acid Sequencing

Examiner: Betty J. Forman

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 12, 2010**

**MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

The present paper is being filed in response to a final office action dated November 12, 2010. The paper is accompanied by a fee and applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to respond and a fee and request for continued examination.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.